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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Docket No. (Optional)

28911/36128/US

In re Application of Alison Hopkins

Application Number
09/485,245Filed
March 27, 2000

For: Compositions Comprising Random Mixtures of Oligonucleotides

Group Art Unit 1655

Examiner C. Wilder

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and appropriate non-small-entity fee are as follows (check time period desired):

☐ One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))

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☐ Two months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))

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☒ Three months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))

\$

520.00*

☐ Four months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))

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☐ Five months (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))

\$

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27. Therefore, the fee amount shown above is reduced by one-half, and the resulting fee is: \$

☒ * A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. An extension for two months has already been secured and the fee paid therefore of \$400.00 is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested. (Thus, \$920.00 - \$400.00 = \$520.00)

☐ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

☒ The Commissioner has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.

☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 13-2855

I have enclosed a duplicate copy of this sheet.

I am the ☐ applicant/inventor.

☐ assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.

Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96).

☒ attorney or agent of record.

☐ attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34(a).

Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a)

October 31, 2002

Date

Signature

Jeffrey S. Sharp

Typed or Printed Name

NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below

☐ 1 forms are submitted.

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Dated: October 31, 2002

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